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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

The Examiner is thanked for the helpful and courteous interview of January 21, 2010, wherein the allowability of Claim 45 was discussed. Subsequently by email to the Examiner Applicant accepted the offer of allowance and provided a proposed Examiner's Amendment in which Claim 45 was incorporated into Claim 17, Claim 46 was made independent, and new Claims 47-52 were added, all dependent on Claim 46, the new claims paralleling allowed Claims 18, 19, 23, 37, 39 and 44.

Respectfully submitted,

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